

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF
MURPHY KESSABI ET AL

U.S. APPLICATION NO: 10/544,281

FILING DATE: August 3, 2005

EXAMINER: QAZI

ART UNIT: 1616

FOR: AVERMECTINS AND AVERMECTIN MONOSACCHARIDES
SUBSTITUTED IN THE 4'- AND 4-POSITION HAVING PESTICIDAL
PROPERTIES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

The Office Action mailed on February 8, 2006 has a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 8, 2006. This Amendment and Response represents a complete response to the Office Action.

Applicants do not believe any fee is due in connection with this Response. If the Examiner determines such a fee is due, Applicants authorize such fee to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1676 in the name of Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.